

Come meet the dogs that encourage children to read.

Saturdays
February 3 through March 25
Drop-in between 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Children who are reluctant to read find that "man's best friends" are willing to listen. Therapy dogs sit quietly and calmly while children read aloud to them, allowing children to become more relaxed and confident about reading.

These dogs are members of Therapy Dogs International and have earned their Canine Good Citizen Certificate making them qualified to work with children. Many are already working at T. C. Miller and Bedford Hills Elementary Schools helping students improve reading skills. Now they are coming to the public library to give more children a chance to practice reading without being shy or embarrassed.

If you know of a child who might benefit from this program, please come and let them get acquainted with the dogs that just might make a difference in their reading habits.

Please call 455-6320 or visit the Youth Services Department for more information.